



## ISPOR India-Andhra Pradesh chapter Annual Report 2014

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### Background:

The ISPOR India - Andhra Pradesh Chapter was approved in June 14, 2012. The chapter has 274 members.

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Activities/ Accomplishments	Summary
<b>Scientific/ Educational Activities</b>	<p>The ISPOR – India Andhra Pradesh chapter is publishing a bimonthly newsletter known as RIPER PDIC news bulletin available at ISPOR regional chapter webpage. It is also available in <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/riperpdicbulletin/home">https://sites.google.com/site/riperpdicbulletin/home</a>.</p> <p>It is circulated to more than 6000 national and international professional colleagues. The chapter members had participated in educational surveys by ISPOR Asia consortium. The leaders of this chapter have contributed in reviewing various research works to present in ISPOR conferences and international meetings.</p> <p>Chapter members have contributed in publishing the research work in the area of pharmacoconomics and outcomes research in reputed journals including <i>Value in Health Regional Issues</i>.</p>
<b>Policy-Related Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Draft guidelines for pharmacoconomics in India has been reviewed by our chapter members</li> <li>• A draft guideline for pharmacoconomics in India was presented by one of the chapter leaders during the proceedings of 6<sup>th</sup> Asia pacific conference.</li> <li>• Reviewed various policy guidelines from various ISPOR task forces</li> <li>• Reviewed essential list of medicines for government of Andhra Pradesh</li> </ul>
<b>Conferences and/or Chapter Meetings</b>	<p>Conducted the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indo European symposium on pharmacoconomics policies on 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2014.</li> <li>• National level seminar on health care and outcomes research, on December 27, 2014.</li> </ul>
<b>Membership Development</b>	<p>We are successfully making our chapter so strong by increasing its members. Through our communications effort we increased the number of our chapter members this year. They are also encouraged and motivated to take ISPOR central membership</p>
<b>Other</b>	<p>HealthNetIndia is uniting the activities of ISPOR chapters in India. Let us work together for the implementation of Pharmacoconomics guidelines for India.</p>

### Upcoming Activities for ISPOR India - Andhra Pradesh Chapter in 2015

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activities</b>
January	Organization of Meeting with new leadership of our chapter to promote the activities.
May	Membership drive with the collaboration of other associations working on pharmacoeconomics or health technology assessment or outcomes research at Andhra Pradesh state.
June	National level conference on quality of life research
October	National level conference on safety outcome of drugs and health devices
December	Annual meeting